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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Brian Rodricks et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2878

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Examiner: Albert J. Gagliardi

For: WIDE DYNAMIC RANGE DIGITAL IMAGING SYSTEM AND METHOD

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION TO THE BOARD OF
PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed January 22, 2003 finally rejecting pending claims 1-7, 9-13 and 15-20 in the above-identified application.

A response to the January 22, 2003 final Office Action was due April 22, 2003. Applicants are filing concurrently herewith a Petition For Extension Of Time for a three-month extension of time, i.e. from April 22, 2003 to July 22, 2003, including the required extension of time fee. Accordingly, the subject application is pending today and this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal is THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY DOLLARS (\$320.00). Applicants enclose herewith a check to cover the required fee in the amount of THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY DOLLARS (\$320.00).

If any additional fee is necessary in connection with the filing of this Notice of Appeal, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,



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